

Claims

1. A carbon nanotube dispersion liquid comprising a carbon nanotube, an amide-based polar organic solvent, and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP).

2. A carbon nanotube dispersion liquid comprising a carbon nanotube, an amide-based polar organic solvent, a nonionic surfactant, and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP).

3. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1 or 2, characterized in that the amide-based polar organic solvent is N-methylpyrrolidone (NMP).

4. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 2 or 3, characterized in that the nonionic surfactant is a polyoxyethylene surfactant.

5. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized by having a nonionic surfactant content of 0.005 to 5%.

6. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized by having a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) content of 0.1 to 10%.

7. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized in that the polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) has a molecular weight of 20,000 to 5,000,000.

8. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized in that the carbon nanotube is a

single-walled carbon nanotube (SWNT).

9. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized by comprising as the carbon nanotube only fine carbon nanotube particles treated with a filter having a retaining particle size of 0.1 to 3.0 μm .

10. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized in that the dispersion liquid is used for uniformly dispersing the carbon nanotube in a polymer-based nanocomposite.

11. The carbon nanotube dispersion liquid according to claim 1, characterized by having a reduced light scattering property.

12. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the step of mixing and dispersing a carbon nanotube in a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) under ultrasonication.

13. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the steps of mixing and dispersing a carbon nanotube in a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) under ultrasonication, and treating the resultant dispersion with a filter having a retaining particle size of 0.1 to 3.0 μm to obtain a dispersion liquid comprising only fine carbon nanotube particles.

14. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the steps of mixing and dispersing a carbon nanotube in a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent and a nonionic surfactant under ultrasonication, and mixing the resultant dispersion with a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP).

15. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the steps of mixing and dispersing a carbon nanotube in a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent and a nonionic surfactant under ultrasonication, mixing the resultant dispersion with a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), and treating the dispersion with a filter having a retaining particle size of 0.1 to 3.0 μm to obtain a dispersion liquid comprising fine carbon nanotube particles.

16. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the step of mixing and dispersing a carbon nanotube in a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent, a nonionic surfactant, and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) under ultrasonication.

17. A method for producing a carbon nanotube dispersion liquid, characterized by comprising the steps of mixing a carbon nanotube with a mixture solution of an amide-based polar organic solvent, a nonionic surfactant, and a polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP) under ultrasonication, and

treating the resultant mixture with a filter having a retaining particle size of 0.1 to 3.0 μm to obtain a dispersion liquid comprising fine carbon nanotube particles.